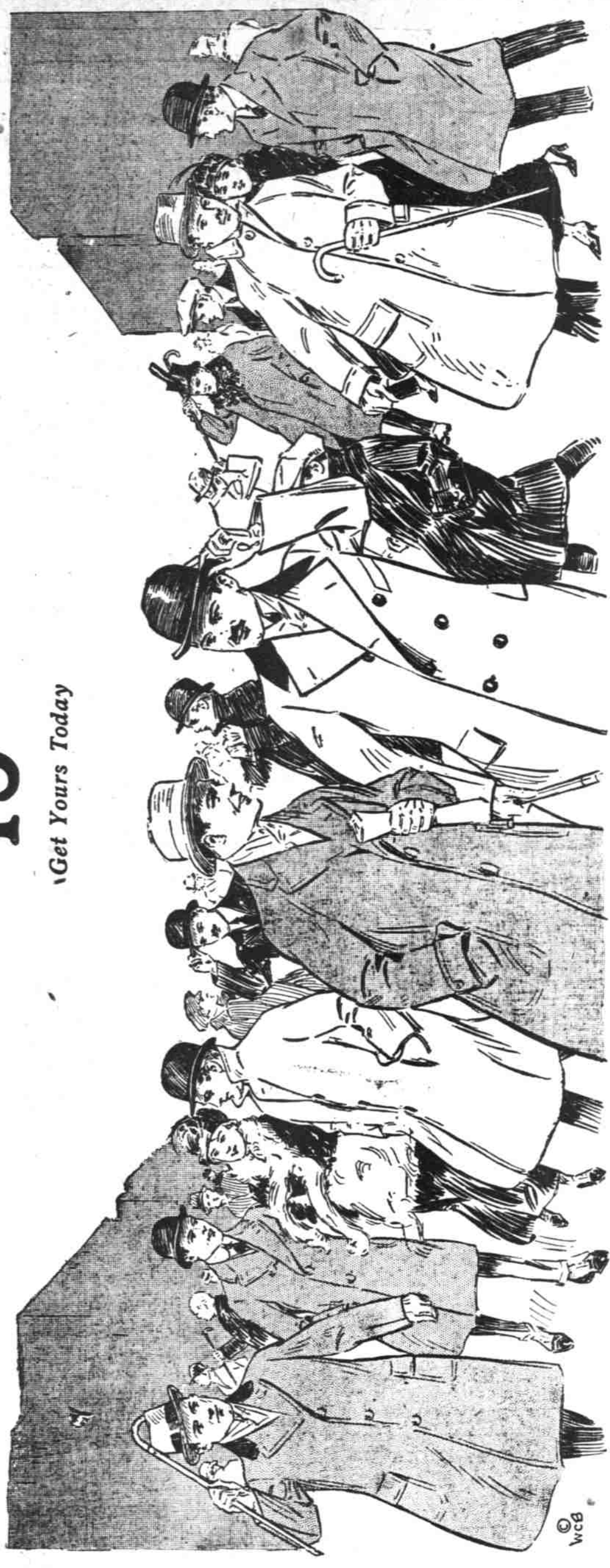


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Say He Expresses Right Opinion in Denouncing Wilson Policy There.

DEMOCRATS ARE ANGRY

Believe Best He Could Have Done Was to Stay Silent Regarding U. S. Foreign Ideas.

Though Col. Roosevelt's statement on the administration's Mexican policy and its responsibility for events in that country was read here yesterday and attracted a great deal of attention, there was a surprising reluctance upon the part of public men of both parties to make any comment on it for publication.

There was plenty of comment not for publication, however. It may briefly be summed up as follows:

Republicans are pleased with the statement, particularly the first part of it discussing the results of the President's action regarding Mexico.

Democrats are angry. There was little attempt to challenge Mr. Roosevelt's arguments to show that President Wilson meddled in Mexico without achieving any constructive result, but there was much indignation at Col. Roosevelt's attempt to fasten upon the administration the responsibility for the outrages committed upon clerics in Mexico. Furthermore, democrats seemed to think that it would have been more proper for the former President to have refrained from such an outburst against a foreign policy of a subsequent President.

Col. Roosevelt charges that the revolutionary party, which the administration has supported, with being guilty of attacks on scores of nuns.

The murder of priests and others in cold blood.

Whole-sale robbing and expelling of priests and nuns.

The sacking of schools, institutions of learning and libraries, and the destruction of astronomical and other valuable machinery.

The profanation of churches and the sacred vessels "in a thousand ways," including "orgies of the soldiers and their women before and around the altars," and "throwing the sacred hosts into the feed of the soldiers' horses."

Criticism Wilson's Attitude.

Col. Roosevelt, commenting on Wilson's refusal to recognize Huerta, which he says should have been done, said that Wilson was prepared to establish some sort of protectorate over it, he had no more business to pass judgment upon the methods of Mr. Huerta's selection (which had occurred prior to Mr. Wilson's advent to power) than Mexico would have had to refuse to recognize Mr. Huerta as President on the ground that it was not satisfied with his economic policy and moreover sympathized with Mr. Tilden's side of the controversy.

"And if President Wilson made up his mind to interfere in Mexico—for, of course, the most trenchant type of interference was refusal to recognize the Mexican president—he should have notified foreign powers of his proposed action in order to prevent Huerta's recognition by them. President Wilson interfered in such feeble fashion as to accomplish the maximum of evil to us and to other foreigners and the Mexicans, and the maximum of evil to us and to other but he hit softly. Now, no one should ever hit if it can be avoided; but never should any one 'hit soft'."

One Cabinet Member Weary.

There is more than one high official of the administration who regards the administration's Mexican course as being similar to that of the duke who married his men up the hill and then marched them down again. One member of the cabinet is known to be weary of the backing and filling as it is termed, with regard to Mexico, though he remains absolutely loyal to the President's program, which is now one of absolute inaction.

By this authority it is urged that the United States should cease all meddling with Mexico and make up its mind, once and for all, whether or not this government has any duty or responsibility in Mexico. Should it be concluded that the government has no duty or responsibility, it is declared, the government should leave Mexico absolutely alone, refraining from any interference whatsoever in its internal or external affairs, directly or indirectly.

These views are shared by representatives here of foreign governments interested in Mexico. They agree with Col. Roosevelt, that having undertaken to unmake an existing government in Mexico, President Wilson should have been endeavoring to provide a satisfactory substitute.

Say U. S. Helped Destruction.

They point to the present conditions, much more chaotic than at any time previously in the last five years of disturbance, as proof that the United States government contributed to the destruction of such government as there was without providing any substitute.

Those who agree with Roosevelt's views of the problem as a whole regret his use of the reports of outrages against Catholics. It is pointed out that Catholics in the American government could not be expected to do more for French and Spanish Catholics in Mexico than it was willing to do for its own people, and that it is not generally known, but the fact is that the failure of the administration to take more effective measures for the protection of Mexican and European Catholics in Mexico was a factor in the last elections. It is known that many Catholics were urged to vote and did vote against the administration in November because of this issue.

LOCAL MENTION.

White potatoes, 14¢ pk.; Ham, 16¢; eggs, 20¢; butter, 25¢; corn, 10¢; large cans tomatoes, 25¢; 4 cans corn, 25¢; 2 cans spaghetti, 15¢; 4-strain brooms, 25¢; 3 Orlene soap, 10¢; 3 toilet paper, 10¢; 3 grape fruit, 10¢; 4 bottles, 10¢; 2 yellow onions, 20¢; 25¢; eating apples, 20¢ pk.; buckwheat, 4¢; Gold Medal, 12¢; compound, 8¢; butter, 35¢; Pen Mar syrup, 10¢; raisins, 10¢; large cans baked beans, 10¢; Grandma's soap powder, 4¢; tuna fish, 10¢; horse radish, 10¢; 12½ oz. catsup, 11¢; Argo corn meal, 10¢; Schimmel salt, 10¢; dressing, 3¢; 3 loaves bread, 10¢; 12 lbs. white meal, 10¢; the Wonder coffee, 20¢; 112 4½ oz. tea, and all the J. D. 15¢ oz. store.

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WEATHER CONDITIONS.

For the District of Columbia—Rain Monday and Tuesday; not much change in temperature; strong northeast wind.

For Virginia—Rain Monday; colder on the coast. Tuesday chilly; northeast gale, diminishing.

The general conditions are unusually high over the Northern States from New England westward to the Rocky Mountains, and it is low over the Southern and far Western States. There are three storms on the map, one off Cape Hatteras, another over the Upper Rio Grande Valley, and yet another off the North Pacific coast. The storm off Hatteras is causing a continuation of westerly gales on the Atlantic coast from Boston to the Virginia Capes and rains in the Atlantic States from Southern New York southward to Georgia. Rains have also fallen throughout the Ohio and Middle Mississippi valleys and on the Pacific coast, and there were rains and snows in the southern portion of the region of the Great Lakes, Iowa, Nebraska, South Dakota, Montana, and the Western Plains region.

Temperatures have not changed decidedly in any section within the last twenty-four hours.

The indications are that the weather will continue unsettled over practically all parts of the country during Monday and Tuesday, with rains in the Middle Atlantic States, the Ohio and Middle Mississippi valleys, and the Southern Plains States, and rains and snows in the Northern States east of the Rocky Mountains.

No decided temperature changes are indicated for any part of the country during the next two days.

Storm warnings are displayed on the Atlantic coast from Cape Hatteras to Eastport, Me.

The winds along the North Atlantic coast will be northeast and east gales; on the Middle Atlantic coast easterly gales; on the South Atlantic coast moderate north and northwest; on the East Gulf coast light variable; on the West Gulf coast light east and southeast; on the Upper Lakes fresh easterly; on the Lower Lakes fresh northeast and east.

Note—The display of storm and small craft warnings on the Great Lakes will be discontinued for the season at the termination of December 10, 1914.

Local temperature—Midnight, 36°; 2 a. m., 35°; 4 a. m., 34°; 6 a. m., 34°; 8 a. m., 35°; 10 a. m., 36°; 12 noon, 36°; 2 p. m., 36°; 4 p. m., 37°; 6 p. m., 37°; 8 p. m., 37°; 10 p. m., 37°; 12 midnight, 37°.

Relative humidity—4 a. m., 90°; 6 p. m., 81°.

Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), 0.00. Hours of sunshine, 6. Per cent of possible sunshine, 60.

Temperature same date last year—Highest, 56°; lowest, 42°.

TEMPERATURES IN OTHER CITIES.

City	Max.	Min.	8 p. m.	Rel. Hum.
Atlantic City, N. J.	42	32	35	68
Boston, Mass.	38	28	30	68
Buffalo, N. Y.	32	22	25	68
Chicago, Ill.	42	32	35	68
Cincinnati, Ohio	41	31	34	68
Cleveland, Ohio	41	31	34	68
Dallas, Tex.	50	30	35	68
Indianapolis, Ind.	41	31	34	68
Laurens, S. C.	50	30	35	68
Los Angeles, Cal.	60	40	50	68
Memphis, Tenn.	41	31	34	68
New Orleans, La.	54	34	39	68
Omaha, Neb.	36	26	29	68
Philadelphia, Pa.	36	26	29	68
Pittsburgh, Pa.	36	26	29	68
Portland, Me.	38	28	31	68
Portland, Ore.	42	32	35	68
St. Louis, Mo.	41	31	34	68
San Francisco, Cal.	52	42	45	68

BIRTHS REPORTED.

James H. and Laura M. Walcott, boy, Charles E. and Blanche Walker, girl, James V. and Twila L. McVay, girl, Lester M. and Edith E. McVay, boy, Joseph T. and Olive A. Elliott, boy, Howard P. and Alma L. Beach, boy.

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Archie and Elizabeth Washington, girl, Louis H. and Ethel Phillips, boy, Joseph and Emma Prince, girl, Samuel R. and Madeline E. Holmes, girl.

DEATH RECORD.

John F. Deavers, 29 years, 1906 K st. st. Clement H. Brooks, 22, Emergency Hospital, Elizabeth Keenan, 52, Providence Hospital, James P. Riley, 24, 12 1/2 st. st.

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Francis Mahor, 60, H and M st. st. Alvin Thomson, 40, 22 H st. st. Ralph Ellis, 20, Providence Hospital, Georgia Cooper, 28, 126 Cambridge st. st. Pearl Priddy, 26, 26 P st. st.

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CHORUS PREPARING FOR CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

Arrangements Being Made for Big Community Tree Entertainment. Appeal Made for Singers.

Work of assembling the great chorus for Washington's annual Community Christmas Tree entertainment is under way, and general details are being arranged by various committees. The musical work is in the hands of Edgar R. S. Embrey, vice chairman of the music committee, and Otto Torney Simon, choral director. A meeting of the heads of all the committees is scheduled for Thursday afternoon in the rooms of the Board of Trade.

The chorus will be assembled in three great steps. First, various musical organizations and singers from the public schools will be invited to join. Members of the Episcopal and Catholic Church choirs, the German singing societies, the Boy Scouts, the Campfire Girls, the Y. M. C. A., the Friday and Monday Evening Clubs and other similar organizations will be included in this invitation. Five hundred girls from Western and Eastern High Schools will be rehearsed by Mr. Simon to join this group.

Next, 1,500 invitations will be sent to singers throughout the city. Finally, a mass meeting will be called in one of the local theaters on some afternoon before December 24 and a general invitation issued to all who would like to join the chorus at its final rehearsal. Although the complete program has not yet been arranged, it is known that it will include the old Christmas hymns, which everybody knows and loves. The first 1,000 copies of these hymns is expected to arrive at the end of this week and rehearsal will be commenced immediately.

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES DON'T WANT TIME OFF

Wilson Will Be Told Many Would Rather Wait Until After Christmas for Their Holiday.

The action of the Retail Merchants' Association in requesting the President to grant employees of the Federal service Saturday half-holiday on December 12 and 13 apparently does not meet with very favorable consideration at the hands of the clerks in the various departments, in view of the fact that they themselves are preparing a petition to the heads of the departments to allow them full holidays on the day after Christmas and the day after New Year's, so that they may fully enjoy the holiday season. By many of the clerks the action of the Retail Merchants' Association in requesting this concession from the President is looked upon as a selfish one, and they are said to prefer the closing of the departments on days which will be acceptable to them and not to an association of merchants.

The Retail Merchants' Association, according to a statement from an official last night, has not been in very great favor with the clerks. They refused to allow members of the association to advertise in the two or three publications published by government clerks in this city.

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"MOHAMMEDAN LANDS" SHOWN.

Ostrander Lectures at Belasco on "Near East."

Harry C. Ostrander, the lecturer, at Belasco Theater last night, gave the fourth of his series of Sunday night travel talks on "Little-Known Lands." "Mohammedan Lands" was the title of the lecture, and the traveler, by means of artistically colored views are realistic motion pictures, led the way through these mysterious lands of the Near East. Constantinople, the city of the Grand Turk, was visited, and the beautiful places of the Bosphorus, the Golden Horn and old Stamboul, the holiest place of the followers of Allah, were vividly described. Mr. Ostrander told of his personal experiences during the terrible orgies of the Mohammedan "Feast of Moharrar" of the holy Asura Day, and of his narrow escape from the howling Dervishes. Glimpses of Turkey in Asia were pictured in the tour over the Lebanon Mountains to Damascus, the oldest city in the world; through the wilderness of Judea to ancient Jericho, and on to picturesque Cairo.

The fifth and concluding travel talk of Mr. Ostrander's series will be next Sunday night on "Ceylon and India."

WANT PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Alexandria County Men Urge Appointment of Committee.

A petition to supervisors of Alexandria County, Va., to appoint a committee of five citizens to seek improvements in public utilities will be presented at a meeting of the supervisors tomorrow night at Alexandria County Courthouse. The petition will be signed by E. Z. Aldred, C. C. Lightfoot, William Douglas, W. W. Malone, J. T. Manning, W. W. Langtry and Benjamin Smith, and will ask that the committee be composed of Aldred, Lightfoot, Douglas, R. C. L. Moncreux and L. P. Harlow.

The petition will ask that the committee seek "better accommodations on the Great Falls branch of the Washington-Old Dominion Railway, extension of the 5-cent fare on the Blumont branch to Douglas, commutation tickets between Naurk and Ballston and Washington on the Washington-Virginia Railway, improvement of that road's service between Rosslyn and Clarendon in rush hours and on Saturday nights, and the installation of automatic switches at Clarendon and Arlington Junction and electric danger signals at all grade crossings."

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George West, colored, 623 Essex court northwest, is at Emergency Hospital with his throat cut almost from ear to ear and his face sliced into ribbons, while the police are hunting for Sambo Jackson, colored, who is said to have assaulted him.

It is Just Natural To Admire Babies

Our altruistic nature impels love for the cooling infant. And at the same time the subject of motherhood is ever before us. To know what to do that will add to the physical comfort of expectant motherhood is a subject that interests most women of all times. One of the real helpful things is an external abdominal application sold in most drug stores under the name of "Mother's Friend." We have known so many grandmothers, who in their younger days relied upon this remedy, and who recommended it to their own daughters that it certainly must be what its name indicates. They have used it for its direct influence upon the muscles, cords, ligaments and tendons as it alone to afford relief from the strain and pain so often unnecessarily severe during the period of expectancy.

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The Town Crier

Mrs. Edna Goodman, twenty-seven years, five feet four inches tall, 150 pounds, blue serge suit, black hat, and white veil, was reported to the police yesterday as missing from her home at Baynes' dairy on Broad Branch road.

Miss Mary Mudd, twenty-five, 1204 N street northwest, was knocked down at Fourteenth and N streets northwest last night by an unidentified automobile. She was only slightly hurt, and went to her home unassisted.

Detective Sergeant "Ned" Weedon, in charge of detective bureau at police headquarters from midnight until 5 o'clock each morning, is having a "big time" down at Weedonville, Va.,